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"AN ACT CONFERRING CORPORATE POWERS ON CERTAIN MUNICIPAL STORMWATER AUTHORITIES."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (Effective July 1, 2013) (a) The Auditors of Public Accounts 4 shall, within available appropriations, conduct a pilot program to 5 audit (1) one municipality with a population equal to or less than fifty 6 thousand, and (2) one municipality with a population of more than 7 fifty thousand. Such audits shall consist of a performance audit 8 conducted in accordance with generally accepted governmental 9 auditing standards. As part of such pilot program, the auditors shall 10 prepare a report of their review and make recommendations for 11 programmatic savings, efficiencies, financial improvements and 12 reforms for the selected municipalities and shall submit such report 13 not later than January 1, 2015, to the joint standing committees of the 14 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to planning 15 and development, appropriations and finance, revenue and bonding.

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(b) Each municipality audited pursuant to this section shall cooperate with such audit and shall make all records and accounts available to the Auditors of Public Accounts or their agents upon demand.

(c) Where there are statutory requirements of confidentiality with regard to such records and accounts, such requirements of confidentiality and the penalties for the violation thereof shall apply to the auditors and to their authorized representatives in the same manner and to the same extent as such requirements of confidentiality and penalties apply to such municipality.

Sec. 502. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Not later than January 1, 2015, the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management shall, in consultation with organizations that work with municipalities, develop and implement a uniform system of accounting for municipal revenues and expenditures."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	July 1, 2013	New section
Sec. 502	from passage	New section

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